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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.191 the Appellants hereby respectfully appeal Examiner Reddick's Final Rejection of claims 1, 2, 4-16 and 33 mailed November 25, 1998.

Please charge (1) the \$300.00 fee designated in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) for filing this Notice of Appeal and (2) any other prosecutional fees which are due to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. Deposit account number 11-0875. This notice is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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